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Title: WIRING SUBSTRATE, METHOD OF  
MANUFACTURING SAME, AND  
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

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Examiner: Jose H. Alcala

Art Unit: 2827

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- (1) Cover Letter with Certificate of Mailing (1 pg.);
- (2) Amendment (2 pgs.);
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Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action under Ex parte Quayle mailed on October 1, 2002, and having a two-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on December 1, 2002. This amendment is being filed within the shortened statutory period for response, and accordingly no additional fees are believed to be due at this time.

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Please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please cancel claims 7-11 without prejudice.

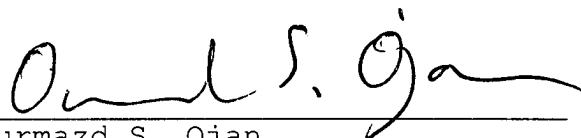
**REMARKS**

By this amendment non-elected claims 7-11 are cancelled. the Examiner has indicated that remaining claims 1-6 and 12-23 are allowed. Accordingly, the present application should now be in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is earnestly solicited. If in the Examiner's opinion that is not the case, the Applicant asks that the Examiner kindly contact the undersigned by telephone in an effort to resolve any outstanding issues as expeditiously as possible.

Applicant also respectfully requests that a copy of the form PTO-1449 filed on September 30, 2002 and initialed by the examiner be returned to the applicant with the next official action to indicate consideration of the art cited therein.

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